

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 2 and 4-6 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please amend claims 1 and 3 as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) A lens barrel comprising a cam barrel of synthetic resin, the cam barrel having its outer surface provided with raised cams, each of the raised cams having at least one ~~of cam faces~~ face inclined toward an opposite cam face off a radial direction relative to an optical axis, the cam face opposed to the inclined one extending in the radial direction relative to the optical axis.

2. (Cancelled)

3. (Currently Amended) A cam barrel of synthetic resin used in a lens barrel, comprising cam grooves and raised cams in the outer surface, each of the raised cams having at least one ~~of cam faces~~ face inclined toward an opposite cam face off a radial direction relative to an optical axis, the cam face opposed to the inclined one extending in the radial direction relative to the optical axis.

Claims 4-6 (Cancelled)